

TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL FREEDOM FUND AND AWARDS DINNER COMMITTEE



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June 5, 2001

The Honorable Bill Nelson
United States Senate
Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, D. C. 20510-0905

Dear Senator Nelson:

I am pleased to inform you that you are the recipient of the President's Award to be presented during the Florida State Conference of NAACP Branches 28th Annual Freedom Fund and Awards Banquet on Friday evening, June 15th at the Coronado Beach Resort in Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista, Florida.

This is an award that I am very pleased to be able to give, because you have earned it through your steadfast support of the programs and activities of the Florida State Conference of NAACP Branches over the years. From your involvement with the State Conference during the infamous period of Church burnings to your efforts to include the NAACP in the Industrial Life Insurance policy settlement, you have always been there when we needed you.

I hope that you will join us on the evening of June 15th to receive this most deserved honor. The reception will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the convention center lobby area, followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m. You and Grace will join us as special guests of the State Conference.

I look forward to your presence at **THE DINNER** and I know that your many friends in the NAACP will be elated by this presentation. Please call the State Office at 352-357-3490, if you need hotel accommodations for a one-night stay in Orlando.

Sincerely,

Adora Obi Nweze, President

John W. Harris
Vice President & Division Leader
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Nelson Black
State Community Reinvestment Coordinator
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